

PATENT APPLICATION Serial No. 10/651,497 Atty. Docket No. Aethon-0306

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit

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In re application of

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Henry F. Thorne

ROBOTIC CART PULLING VEHICLE

Serial No. 10/651,497

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Filed 08/29/2003

Examiner:

Wexford, Pennsylvania

March 5, 2004

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Va. 22313-1450

Applicant requests a two-Month Extension of Time in which to submit a reply to the office action dated 11/21/2003. The period set for filing a reply was two months, bringing the response due on January 21, 2004. Therefore, a Two-Month Extension of Time will bring the response due on March 21, 2004. The Response to the Missing Parts, this petition and an accompanying amendment are being timely submitted.

A deposit account payment in the amount of \$210.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee.

An amendment is being filed concurrently herewith replacing a drawing sheet. Additionally note authorization to charge appropriate fees to the identified deposit account in the transmittal document dated June 13, 2002.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 2023.

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